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VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Charles L. A. Terreni
Chief Clerk and Administrator
The Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: • Happy Rabbit, a South Carolina Limited Partnership on behalf of Windridge Townhomes, (hereinafter, "Happy Rabbit") v. Alpine Utilities, Inc., (hereinafter, "Alpine"); Docket No. 2008-360-S
• **Response to Alpine's April 8th Correspondence (copy of the first page of the correspondence attached hereto for your ready reference).**

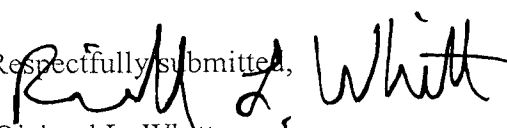
Dear Mr. Terreni:

In response to Alpine's correspondence to you, referenced above, Happy Rabbit offers the following.

When Happy Rabbit posed Discovery questions to Alpine asking for similarly situated customers, Alpine responded to both Discovery questions by setting forth a list of approximately 58 other customers (landlords or owners) who are similarly situated as Happy Rabbit. If they were not similarly situated as Happy Rabbit, Alpine would have simply replied, "None." (Happy Rabbit's questions and Alpine's responses thereto are attached hereto for your ready reference.)

Since the date of that *de facto* admission, Alpine has repeatedly sought to qualify their response. Giving words their common English meaning, these 58 other customers (landlords or owners) are similarly situated as Happy Rabbit.

Respectfully submitted,


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April 8, 2009

VIA HAND-DELIVERY

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RE: Happy Rabbit, LP on behalf of Windridge Townhomes v. Alpine Utilities, Inc.;
Docket No. 2008-360-S

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Alpine Utilities, Inc. ("Alpine") herein responds to Happy Rabbit, LP's ("Happy Rabbit's") letter Response to Alpine's Motion for Protective Order dated April 3, 2009.¹

With respect to Happy Rabbit's assertion that Alpine has "*de facto* acknowledged that fifty-eight other entities are similarly situated as Happy Rabbit," Alpine would reassert its position set forth in its e-mail communications with the Hearing Officer and parties of record in this matter dated March 23 through March 24, 2009. Alpine would further refer Happy Rabbit and the Commission to the language contained in the applicable interrogatories and responses for an accurate representation of the answer set forth by Alpine.

¹ In the event that Alpine does not herein directly dispute a claim, statement, representation or characterization by Happy Rabbit, such omission is neither an acquiescence to any of Happy Rabbit's claims, statements, representations, or characterizations nor a waiver of any position previously asserted by Alpine.

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BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2008-360-S

IN RE:

Happy Rabbit, LP on Behalf of,
Windridge Townhomes,

Complainant,

v.

Alpine Utilities, Inc.,
Respondent

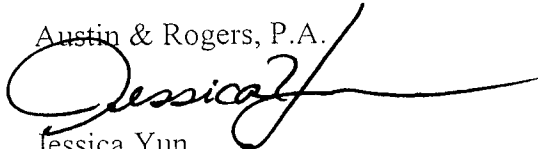
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jessica Yun, an employee of Austin & Rogers, P.A., certify that I caused to be delivered a copy of Happy Rabbit's Response to Alpine's April 8th Correspondence (copy of the first page of the correspondence attached hereto for your ready reference) in the above referenced matter as indicated below, via Hand Delivery as addressed below, with proper postage affixed thereto, or e-mail on April 9, 2009.

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